

**NONPROVISIONAL PATENT  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): GASEOUS FUEL DISCHARGING STRUCTURE FOR VEHICLE

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- ☒ 24 pages of Specification/Claims 1-3/Abstract are attached.
- ☒ Formal drawings (Figs. 1-9; 8 sheets are attached.
- ☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to Honda Giken Kogyo Kabushiki Kaisha is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.
- ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and 1 reference.
- ☒ Priority of foreign application No. 2001-008313 filed January 16, 2001 in Japan is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
- ☒ A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

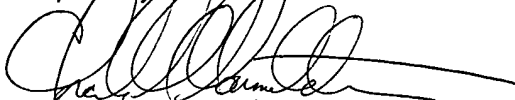
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